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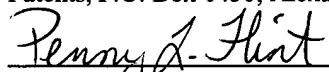
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 15, 2004, for which the three month shortened statutory period for reply is set to expire on July 15, 2004. While it is believed that no extension of time or any other additional fees are necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant any needed extension of time and to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0439.

Consideration of the Amendment and Remarks that follow is respectfully requested.

Application Serial No. 09/313,916
Amendment dated July 14, 2004
Reply to the Office Action Dated April 15, 2004

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action of April 11, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.